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DESCRIPTION OF THREE NEW SPECIES OF UNIONES OF THE
UNITED STATES.

BY ISAAC LEA.

Unio Dooleyensis.

Testa lævi, oblonga, valde compressa, valde inæquilaterali, postice biangulari, antice rotundata; valvulis subtenuibus; natibus prominulis; epidermide luteo-oliva, obsolete radiata; dentibus cardinatis parvis, in utroque valvulo duplicibus; lateralibus longis, lamellatis rectisque; margarita livida et iridescente.

Hab. Dooley Co., Georgia, Rev. G. White; Abbeville, S. C., Dr. Barratt.

Unio invenustus.

Testa lævi, oblonga, subcompressa, valde inæquilaterali, postice subbiangulari, antice rotundata; valvulis crassiusculis, antice aliquanto crassioribus; natibus prominulis; epidermide tenebroso-fusca, obsolete radiata; dentibus cardinalibus parviusculis sulcatisque; lateralibus sublongis, curvatis lamellatisque; margarita livida et iridescente.

Hab. Columbus, Geo., G. Hallenbeck; Russel Co., Geo., Dr. Neisler; Irwin's Creek, North Carolina, C. M. Wheatley.

Unio Gesnerii.

Testa lævi, suboblonga, inflata, inæquilaterali, postice subbiangulari, antice oblique rotundata; valvulis subcrassis, antice crassioribus; natibus prominulis; epidermide tenebroso-fusca vel radiata vel eradiata; dentibus cardinalibus crassiusculis, in utroque valvulo duplicibus sulcatisque; lateralibus longis, crassis lamellatisque; margarita livida et iridescente.

Hab. Uchee River, near Columbus, Geo. Dr. J. Lewis.